WILL HEAR GRIMES.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

dence. Now, if the Council votes upon those nine resolutions which have just been read by your clerk, and then sends it out to the city of Richmond before the Grimes evidence has been heard that you have adopted all of their conclusions, what would be worth to him the opportunity to be heard after you had condemned him? It would be like giving a man a chance to introduce evidence and

man a chance to introduce evidence at mave a trial after you have hung him."

THE QUESTION OF HEARING.

introduce evidence to disprove the charges. The Chair then called the Marshall-Ward member to the bar, and asked

him if he wished to bring forward wit-

Mr. Grimes repeated what he had said

before, and urged the Council to give him a committee from that body to hear his case. He said he could not get fifteen or twenty gentlemen together in an eve-

ning, and the Common Council would not care to hear them if he had them on hand. The Marshall-Ward member stated

that it took the Committee on Investi-gation six months to complete its work, and he thought he should be given some time to present his defence. Mr. Grimes

reiterated the assertion that he had no opportunity to appear before the commit-

shells taken from the city, of which he had no knowledge. He said there were

had no knowledge. He said there were charges in the reports which he could prove were not facts. He was willing to go before the city and show that his record was clear. He would like to take the report from the very beginning and sift it through to the end. He said he had been on the Light Committee himself for eight years and know its most of the said he had been on the Light Committee himself for eight years and know its most of the said he

for eight years, and knew its workings. He had never been offered 1 cent in re-

VOTED AGAINST HIS OWN INTE-

REST.

Mr. Grimes asserted that he had stood

up in the committee and voted to dis-charge fourteen men at the works, nine

of whom owed him money, amounting to over \$450. Who in the Council would have stood up and voted away his money in that way?" he asked. He referred to

other contracts, and said the lowest bid-ders had not always been given the work. The committees always acted upon the

advice of the Superintendent in these matters. If the matter of contracts was

gone into, and all members of the Coun-cil who had been interested in such in

the history of the body were brought for-ward, the chamber would not be large

FOR A SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

At the conclusion of Mr. Grimes's re

THE COMMITTEE ATTACKED. Mr. Carter spoke in advocacy of the resolution offered by Mr. Diacont, and

Mr. Gunst addressed the Council at length, saying that there appeared to

gard to a contract.

enough to hold them.

resolution:

Mr. Caskle, who filled

Now, if the Council votes upor

ceeded.

The following was the programme:

1. Vocal solo, "Far All Eternity," (Angelo Mascheroni,) Mr. Watkins.

2. Instrumental solo-(a), Nocturne, Op. 27, No. 2, (Chopha,) (b.) Chromatic Valse (Godard,) Miss Jones.

3. Reading, "Ben Hur's Charlot Race." (Lew Wallace,) Miss Duke.

4. Vocal solo, "Good-By, Sweet Day!" (Vannah,) Mrs. Loockerman.

5. Concerto, Op. 25-(2), Andante; (3), Allegroe Vivace, (Mendelasohn,) Miss Larrabec. Orchestral parts on second plano by Mr. Unkel.

by Mr. Unkel.

6. "A Happy Pair," a comedicta in one act, by S. Theyre Smith—"Mr. Honeyton," Mr. H. M. Johnson; "Mrs. Honeyton," Miss Lenore Duke.

Prespecting in Tidewater.

Fifty-eight prospectors passed through Richmond Wednesday en route to Williamsburg, where they will spend three days, informing themselves as to the lands in that section of Virginia.

The company was made up of persons from all sections of the far West, the

excursion being organized in Chicago, from which point the round-trip tickets were issued.

It was announced some months ago that

It was announced some months ago that a movement was on foot to establish a colony of northerners in the fertile lands of the Tidewater, and this is the first practical outcome of that movement.

The party was joined at this point by Captain Cooke, who is greatly interested in the movement, and who will pioneer them through the section alluded to above The party will return to Chicago to mor-

The party will return to Chicago to-mor-row night via Richmond, when it will be known what decision has been arrived at.

The Association for the Development of Richmond Trade is constantly being

encouraged by voluntary subscriptions, and letters advocating, endorsing, and encouraging the enterprise. The following self-explanatory letter

was received yesterday: Mr. Jacob Gans, Treasurer, Richmond,

Va.:

Dear Sir, We desire to express our most hearty approval of the effort that is being made to promote the commercial interests of Richmond by inaugurating cheap excursions from different points along the line of railroads entering Richmond

mond. oT this end we wish to subscribe when it is necessary the amount of \$10.

WATKINS HARDWARE COMPANY.

The V's Bozner a Success.

The young ladies' Y's bazaar being held at Fifth and Broad continues to be a success. Last night a large crowd

thronged the store, and a good many of the articles were sold. Excellent music was furnished by a string band, and re-freshments were served until a late hour.

The votes will be counted, and successful contestants for the lamp, canes, chair, and "Model Hat" will be present-

Mr. Sutton's Funeral.

The funeral of Mr. F. V. Sutton, late clerk at the penitentiary, who died at his home, on Plum street, last Tuesday, took place from the house yester-

day, took place from the house yearday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. J. Wesley, Jones, of the Christadelphian church, officiated, and many sympachurch. The re-

thizing friends were present. The re-mains were buried in the new part of Hollywood. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

Personals and Briefs.

Rev. Dr. J. Y. Fair is confined to his room by sickness.

Treasurer W. W. Hunter, of Norfolk, was in the city yesterday.

Senator W. M. Flanagan left yesterday afternoon for his home in Powhatan.

Bishop Newton will administer the rite of confirmation at St. Paul's church

Hon. Howard Hathaway, member of the

House from Lancaster, was in the city

Mr. P. H. Mayo and family have left

Dr. E. G. Booth, of James City, passed through Richmond yesterday on his

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dillard, of Black-

stone, are the guests of their relatives, Messrs. Richard and Sydney P. Epes, No.

Dove Lodge, No. 51, A. F. and A. M., will meet at the Masonic Temple this evening at 6 o'clock. There will be work in the first and second degrees.

There will be very interesting exercises at the meeting of R. E. Lee Camp, No. 1, Confederate Veterans, to-night, and all the members who can will attend.

Marriage liceuses were issued in Wash-

ington Wednesday to John T. Ligan and Hattle Donavan, and to Ellis C. White and Annie G. Cole, all of Richmond.

Mrs. K. B. Savage, of No. 308 west Mar-shall street, and Mrs. William Davis, No. 41-2 west Clay street, start for New York

fenday morning on a ten-days' trip.

Rev. James T. Dickinson, pastor of the North Orange (N. J.) Baptist church, is in the city, visiting his father, Rev. Dr. A. E. Dickinson, 1035 west Grace street.

The police of the First District found a

set of double-wagon harness in Fish al-ley yesterday morning, and took it to the First Police-Station to swait identifica-

The Young People's Union of the Second Baptist church will give a social enter-tainment this evening at \$15 o'clock, and a very interesting and novel programme

Mr. Horace F. Smith will leave for New York next Saturday to complete arrange-ments with the well-known New York manager. Major J. B. Pond, for an ex-tended tour through the East and West of Mr. Polk Miller.

Mr. C. F. Z. Caracristi, formerly a well-known civil engineer of Chesterfield, but now a resident of the republic of Colombia, South America, is a guest at Murphy's. Mr. Caracristi is here on a visit

The regular meting of the Third Pre-cinct Democratic Club of Marghall Ward will be held to-night at 8 o'clock at Springfield Hall. All Democrats are m-vited to attend. Several speeches are ex-

Mr. C. W. Hunter's Sunday-school class of Broad-Street Methodist church will hold a sociable in the church parlor to night at 8 o'clock. Speeches, readings, recitations, singing, and refreshments will be the order of the evening.

Captain C. A. Crawford, recently elected

captain of Company D, has not accepted the trust as yet. It is hoped by military men in general that Captain Crawford will again enter soldier life and take charge of the "Old Dominion Guard."

There is still a deadlock in the Howitzers for the election of second lieutenant. Sergeanta Woodson and Williams are the candidates, and have strong friends who are working for victory. At the meeting last Tuesday night another fruitless effort was made to elect a lieutenant, but neither candidate secured the requisite number of votes, Sergeant Williams being three short and Sergeant Woodson seven.

The Stonewall Club, No. 25, -Lyceum

Richmonders in New York.

been arranged.

to friends and relatives.

Augustine, going thence

yesterday.

for a visit to St. Aug to Palm Beach, Fia.

318 south Third street.

The bazaar will close to-night.

ed with their winnings.

truly yours.

SICKNESS THE PLEA.

This the Only Reason Why Mr. Mur-

phy Did Not Serve.

MIS LETTER TO COLONEL LAMB,

He Assures the State Chairman That He is in Full Sympathy with His

Action-Both Factions Claim to

Mr. Michael Murphy, who, as announced

Wednesday a letter resigning the chair-

manship of the City Republican Committee,

to which he was appointed last Friday,

was seen yesterday by a Dispatch re

this action. He said it was so ely on ac-

count of the ill health of his wife and

duties of the office at this time that

caused him to give up the position of city chairman. He thought, he said,

ealth was of more importance than poli-

Mr. Murphy said he never wished the

chairmanship to be bestowed upon him,

and, in replying to a letter from Colonel

Lamb, in which the latter offered hir

the honor, he said that he did not care

to accept it, and suggested several gen-

city. Colonel Lamb had, however, he said,

sent him his commission. He said though

he could, as had been suggested to him, hold the position and let others do the work, he did not care to be a "stick." He had not been won over to the other side, however. He believed in subordination to the head of the party, and said

that if the Republicans throughout the State did as Mr. Allan and his followers

were doing that chaos would reign in the party. Mr. Allan though, he said, might have just grounds for his action. He did not know as to this, He knew that Colonel Lamb had been elected to his po-

sition by a large majority, and saw no use of having a leader if every one was going to manage affairs to suit themselves.

LETTER OF RESIGNATION.

He said as yet he had received no reply to his letter of resignation, of which the

following is a copy: Colonel William Lamb, Chairman Re-

Colonel William Lamb, Chairman Republican State Committee, Norfolk, Va.:
After a most careful consideration, I regret to say that I am compelled to absolutely decline the chairmanship of the Republican Committee of this city, and

depublican Committee of this city, and herewith return to you the commission

and other papers in connection there with that I have had the honor to receive

with that I have had the honor to receive from you. Upon reflection I find that it will be impossible for me to attend to the duties of this office. Aside from other considerations which I have, my wife is confined to her bed at present by sickness, and is likely to remain there for some time. Besides, I am physically unable to discharge the onerous duties which would devolve on the city chairman at this time. I desire to sustain you as State chairman in every way I possibly can.

Earnestly hoping for peace and harmony in the Republican party in Virginis, which is of more Importance than anything else, I am

einia, which is on anything eise, I am MICHAEL MURPHY.

MR. ALLAN'S POSITION.

Mr. Edgar Allan yesterday morning received a friendly letter from Mr. Murphy, stating that he had resigned the position to which he had recently been appointed. Mr. Allan, when asked as to whether Colonel Lamb would appoint any

whether Colonel Lamb would appoint any one else in Mr. Murphy's place, said that he did not know. He said, however, that if Colonel Lamb was going to appoint parsons to the position as fast es they resigned he would have to devote most of his time to that task, and would have little time for real campaign-work.

"He has shot off more ammunition," said Mr. Allan, "and spent more money already since the campaign started than

already since the campaign started than was ever spent on a campaign in Virginia before. As yet he has not fired one shot

into the Democratic ranks, but all his attention has been turned against Republicans whose record in that party's ranks are far brighter than his own.
"I don't see," continued Mr. Allan, "how he can carry out his boast of carrying the State by 20,000 majority when all

ing the State by 20,000 majority when all his efforts are directed against members of his own party. In this district we are solid, and were in this city, until he had that secret meeting called at the Henrico county court-house on January 23d, to which people were only admitted by ticket."

WILL WIN ANY WAY.

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One of the leaders among Colonel
Lamb's followers said Mr. Murphy's action was not unexpected. He said his
footing, however, could beat the opposition any way they chose to go. Colonel
Lamb, he said, had the bit between his
teeth, and was not going to be stopped.

Both John Mitchell and Alderman
Rahen called upon Mr. Murphy yesterday
to ask that gentleman's reasons for resigning the position to which he had been
appointed.

appointed.
Two out of the four white precinct chairmen appointed under the Pahen organization have informed City-Chairman Edgar Allan that their names were

used without their consent, and that they will stand by his committee as the regular organization. Their names ere J. H. Childrey and I. W. Throckmorton.

WAS THE DEAD MAN MURDERED?

Coroner Taylor at Work on a Sup-

posed Poisoning Case.

Dr. William H. Taylor has received

from the authorities of Henry county the

ty, who died under very suspicious cir-cumstances on February the 24th. He has been at work on the stomach since Monday looking for poison, but it will be fully two weeks before a decision is reached, as such poison tests are tedious and very delicate.

Mr. Davis was an employee of a Mr. Lester, and while no disagreement is known to have ever existed, the circum-stances under which the former died have

iven rise to numerous and varied rumors f a deep-laid plot for his destruction by

The facts in the case, as nearly as they

an be learned from information received

can be learned from information received here, are that Mr. Lester gave Mr. Davis a drink of whiskey. He had hardly swallowed the liquid when he was taken violently ill, and died in about fifteen minutes. The fact of such a sudden death stracted the attention of neighbors, and there being a suspicion of foul play, inquiries were instituted, with the result that it was learned that Mr. Lester had purchased some strychnine a few days

that it was learned that Mr. Lester had purchased some strychnine a few days before the sudden death of his employee. As an incentive for the crime it has also been learned that Lester beld a \$4,000 life-insurance policy on Davis. The consensus of opinion in the neighborhood in which the tragedy occurred is that the fatal drug was given in the glass of whiskey, which, to all appearances, caused almost instant death.

bled While on a Visit.

In Gettie McGuire, of Winchester, a cor of Dr. Hunter McGuire, died yesday morning at 4 o'clock, at her ther's residence after an illness of at three weeks. Miss McGuire was visiting her brother. Her remains leave here this morning on the Richard, Fredericksburg and Potomac train Winchester.

the Rebuilding Fund.

nach of Mr. J. T. Davis, of that coun-

to be at the head of their party in

whom he thought would be gla

ties, certainly it was to him.

is physical inability to attend to the

porter, and asked his reasons for taking

se columns, sent to Colonel Lamb or

Have the Inside Track.

17 Basting-Spoons, for 3c. each, value 5c. 12 Bath-Room Mirrors for 5c. each, value 12 Pictures, 16x20, were 60c. cach, for 3 Frames, slightly damaged, 1612, value \$1.19, for \$5, each, 1 Plys-o'Clock Tea-Table, for \$1.98, value \$6.78.

1 Handsome Lamp, with only column, was 15.26, slightly damaged, for 11.61, a lightly damaged, for 15.20, slightly damaged, for 15.20, THE COHEN CO

THE COCKADE CITY

Deed of Assignment-Republican Rolding Secret Meetings.

PETERSBURG, VA., March 12-(Spe. cial.)-Mr. Ell B. Morse, preprietor of the Cafe Royal saloon, on Sycamore street, made an assignment to-day to Mr. Franels Rives Lassiter, as trustee, for the benefit of his creditors. The cafe was make this a gala day for economical ne of the most elegantly furnished es-

one of the most elegantly furnished es-tablishments of the kind in the State, the furniture, carpets, and fixtures generally being of the finest kind.

The deed conveys all of the stock of wines, liquors, tobaccos, glassware, and other property; the interest of the pro-prietor in the bar-room fixtures and fur-niture, purchased of Mr. C. P. Dean, Q. Richmond, on which the sum of fish has been paid, but the title to which is re-tained by the vendor, and who is thus secured; the carpets, cafe, household and dining-room furniture, purchased from the dining-room furniture, purchased fro Petersburg Furniture Company, on which \$175 has been paid, but the title to which is retained, and thus secured by the said company. The lease of the premices is

The preferences in the deed are as to-

The expenses of the trust. 1. In expenses of the trust.
2. An exchanged check for \$150, held by
M. Cohen, Son & Co.; M. Cohen, Son &
Co., \$75,33; Jacob Schwartz, \$31; A. Rosensteek, \$75; John Mulcaha (salary), \$55, A.
Rosenstock (note), \$176,75; Hannah,
Morse (wife), \$450, borrowed money; J.
Coleman, \$275; E. Eighenbrun, \$375,
2. In this class are included at a class. In this class are included all other debts due, which are not mentioned but which. It is understood, include a con-siderable amount, all to be paid pro rata. In this latter class, it is understood, are one or more Petersburg creditors. 4. The residue, if any, is to be given to Mr. Morse, as far as his interest is con-

All debts are to be paid in the order above mentioned. PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Congressman W. R. McKenney is visiting his brother in Charleston, S. C.
Senator W. B. McIlwaine and Mr. Alexander Hamilton are in Florida.

The Republicans are holding meetings
in the several wards, but these meetings
are so secret that nothing can be learned
as to the proceedings. In Third Ward
night before last and in Fourth Ward
last night meetings were held. No public last night meetings were held. No public notice of these meetings was given, and, of course, all who were present were secretly notified. Secrecy has heretofore been the policy of the Republican leaders in this city, and it seems that it is to be followed under the new auspices.

BRIEFS. Mr. R. L. Stevens, an enthusiastic base ball man, has been appointed the Peters-burg representative of the Sporting Life during the coming season. during the coming season.

A dog, supposed to have been mad, was killed to-day on Sycamore street, after it had bitten several other dogs.

DEATHS.

FENNESSEY.—Died, Wednesday, March II, 1886, at 5:10 o'clock P. M., PA-TRICK FENNESSEY, a native of Lim-merick, Ireland, in the 71st year of his Funeral will take place from St. Peter's Cathedral FRIDAY, March 13th, at 3 A. M., with requiem high mass. No flowers.

KINKER.—Died, at his residence at 4:45 o'clock A. M., March 12th, at No. 78 Wood street, Chelsea Hill, J. B. KIN-KER, in the 55th year of his age.

May he test in peace. His funeral will take place at St. Mary's atholic church at 9 o'clock SA MORNING, the 14th instant an Catholic church at 9 TURDAY

Priends and acquaintances are invited to attend without further notice. Haltimore and Philadelphia papers please copy. MCGUIRE.-Died, March 12th,

STRAUS.—Died, at 1:10 o'clock this norning, at the home of his parents, as ast Broad street, ELMER J., infant sor of Isaac and Elia W. Straus; agel 4

Funeral from the residence THIS (Friday) AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock.

Again we offer (for G

Friday only) the 10

per cent. discount off

all prices on Rem-

nants of Wool and

Cotton Dress Goods.

of splendid lengths

here suitable for

Waists, Skirts, and

Girls' School Dresses. The goods are just

as good now as when

they left the looms-

and they are the best

styles, too. If they

were poor styles

they'd never have

been sold down to

Department Second Floor-take elevator.

There are hundreds

FRIDAY'S

REMNANT

FEATURE!

city, at the residence of her brother, Dr. Hunter McGuire, Miss GETTY H. M'GUIRE, of Winchester, Va.

chester FRIDAY AFTERNOON

MORSE.—Died, at 3:55 P. M., March 12th, at No. 732 Brook avenue, in the dist year of his age, MARK H. MORSE. Funeral will take place from his late residence. SATURDAY, March 14th, at 11 A. M. Friends and acquaintances toylied to attend. invited to attend.

NOLTE.—Died, at the residence of his parents, No. 102 Fifth street, Manchester, Va., little WILLIE, aged 5 years, son of Frank and Mary Nolte.

His funeral will take place from St. Mary's Catholic church FRIDAY MORNING at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

of shape. Less than half price

2 dozen each Stamped Dollies and Tray-Covers, 16c value, 1c. each. 12 spools of Crochet-Catton, odd colors, 5c. value, 2 spools for 5c. Silk Anisene, 1c. dozen. Ruchings, 1c. yard.

Basement Odds TABLE No. 1.
This Deconation Set.
Containing 10

value 10c.
39 Ironatone-China Soup-Plates, for 3c.
each, value, 98c a dozen.
(TABLE NO. 2.)
7 Oll-Stove Tea-Kettles, 19c. values, for Sc. each. 14 Block-Tin Wash-Basins, Sc. value, for

14 Block-Tin Wash-Basins, Sc. value, for ic. each.
17 Cake or Batter-Bread Pans, for 7c. each, value 50c.
14 Polished-Steel Cake-Turners, for ic. each: value, Sc.
4 Coffee-Pots, I-quart-size, slightly dent-ed, ice. values, for 4c. each.
16 Block-Tin Dish-Pans, 10-quart-size, 15c. values, for 5c. each.
2 Granite-Ironware Wash-Basins, 15c. values, for 5c. each.
17 Enamelled Iron Jelly-Cake Pans, 15c. values, for 5c. each.
2 Granite-Iron Saucepans, 4tc. value, for ice. each.
TABLE NO. 3.
44 Dreaden Decorated Cabinet-Ornaments, that were 60c a set, for 3c. each.
15c. values, for 5c. each.
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15c. values, for 5c. each.
15c. values, for 3c. each.
15c. values, for 6c. each.
16c. values, for 6c. each.
17c. values, for 6c. each.
17c. values, for 6c. each.
18c. values, for 6c. each.

choice pieces of Austrian-China kware, were II to II each, to close choice.

BITS OF MERCHANDISE were as much in the way as they are to-day, when NEW COODS are rushing in every day in the various de-

partments. So

have arranged for their relief and your advantage

A SPECIAL

Grand Remnant Day! Every department in the store will contribute its share of loss to

shoppers. BLACK GOODS DEPARTMENT has a counter full of Remnants. Only a hint of what's here:

5 1.2 yards Figured Mohair, \$1.25 for the piece. 6 1-4 yards Priestley Brilliantine, \$1.55 for the piece. 3 5-8 yards Fine Imperial Serge, \$1.50 for the piece. 6 1-2 yards French Serge, \$1.75 for the

piece. 8 yards Sik-Finiahed Henrietta, for \$3.80. 10 yards Wool Crepon, \$1 for the piece. SILK REMNANTS,-A great many were full pieces a week ago.

5 remnants, from 4 1-2- to 6 1-4-yard lengths, of Fine Hair-Stripe India Silks, newest colors, 14c. a yard.
9 remnants of Fancy Taffeta Silk, 75 and Sc. kind, 3 3-4- to 6 3-4-yard lengths, 45c. a yard.
4 Fancy Persian Remnants of Silk, 5 1-2, 6 1-4- 7 1-8-, 6 1-2-yard lengths, 48c. a yard.

yard.

1 remnant of Black Gros-Grain Silk, with satin figures, 31.19 grade, 19 yards in the piece, 25 for the piece.

1 remnant of Black-Satin Duchess Brocade, 9 1-2 yards in length, 31.15 kind, 36.25 for the piece.

5 remnants of Check-Silk Taffeta, 5 1-4, 7 1-4, 6 1-2-yard lengths, 29c. a yard, instead of 39c. a yard. DOMESTIC REMNANTS.-Lots

'em here to-day.

Remnants of Merrimack Shirting-Prints, at 2 3-4c, a yard. Remnant of Anderson Scotch Ginghams Remnants of Fine French Muli, colored stripes, 4 1-2c. Remnants of 4-4 French Percale, 4 1-2c. Remnant of 4-4 Brown Cotton, 3c. a yard.
Remnant 10-4 Bleached Sheeting for 9 3-4c.
Remnant of Domet Flannel, 2 3-4c. a yard.
Remnants of Canton Flannel, 4 1-2c. MEN'S DEPARTMENT has 21 Soiled Unlaundered Perfection Shirts,

43c. each. 17 pairs Silk-Stripe Socks, 11c. a pair. 25c. kind. 25c. kind.
7 pairs Guyot Suspenders, 15c. a pair.
14 Men's Laundered Negligee Shirts, 29c., instead of 65c.
1 lot of Silk 25c. Ties for 19c.
1 lot of Men's 4-Ply Linen Collars, 5c., instead of 12 1-2c.
Kid-Gloves at prices that'll make you buy 'em.

lot 21 Kid Gloves, all sizes, to-day, of Black or Tan Kid Gloves, 75c. RIBBON REMNANTS must be

sold-too many here.

1 lot of Handsome Dresden Ribbon, remnant, 25, 35, and 45c, kinds, for 17c. 1 lot of Satin-Ribbon Remnants, all colors, 1 to 2 yards long 15c, a yard. 1 lot of Ribbons, 1c, a yard. LINING REMNANTS from our big sale this week.

big sale this week.

Remnants of Gray-Sateen Lining-Jeans, in length from 1 to 10 yards, 10c. quality, for 8 1-4c. a yard.

Remnants of Black-Back Figured Silesia and Fercaline, the regular 16 2-3c. grade, for 11c. a yard.

20 remnants of Fibre Chamois, 2 yards wide (in Gray, Black, and White), 10c. a yard.

15 remnants of Skirt-Lining, 2c. a yard.

25 Velvet Bindings, all colors, the 10c. kind, for 3c. each.

160 dozen Buttons, ranging in price from 10 to 9c. a dozen; cords slightly soiled; choice to-morrow; 1c. a dozen.

10 pairs Stockinet Shields, 12 1-2c. kind, for 4c. each.

for 4c. each.
587 yards Check Nainsook Remnants,
lengths of 1 to 5 yards, 2 7-8c. a yard.
lengths of 2 to 5 yards, 2 1-31a, 35 and

lengths of 1 to 5 yards, 2 7-8c. a yard.
Remnants Finest Linon de India, 35 and
40c. grades, lengths 1 1-4 to 6 3-4 yards,
14c. a yard for any.
Remnants French Piques, lengths 3-4 to
3 1-2 yards, 16 2-3 and 20c. grades,
9 3-4c. a yard.
Remnants French Corded Welts and
Marseilles, 65 and 50c. grades; lengths
1 to 6 1-2 yards; 16 2-3c. a yard.
Remnants Table Damask, 35c. grades,
for 15c. a yard.
Remnants Table Damask, 1 3-4 and 2
yards wide, lengths 2 to 3 3-4 yards,
45c. a yard.
48 Honeycomb Water-Absorbing BathTowels, large size, 4c. each.

66 pairs odds in CHILDREN'S AND LADIES'HOSE. A little out for anv.

for any.

Ladles' Seamless Hose, fast-Black, 121-2c, kind, 5c a pair.
Children's Fast-Black Ribbed Hose, what's left of 'en, 21-2c, a pair.
22 pairs Ladles' Hose, been 25 and 35c, a pair, any for 121-2c, a pair.
25 Odd Umbrella Remnants at remnant-prices; come early—have your pick.
25 Infants' Trimmed Cambric Slips, soited, been 45 and 58c, each, 25c, for any.
2,659 yards Dress-Trimming, remnants from 1-2 to 41-2 yards in length, 1, 2, and 5c, a yard; been 19 to 59c, Centre counter, left aisle.
21 Linen Shaues, 6x3 feet, were 35c., now 16 2-3c.
19 remnants of Tapestry Carpets, from 2 1-2 to 19 yards, 35c., from 75c.
18 remnants of Body-Brussels Carpets, from 1 1-2 to 21 yards, 55c., from \$1.10 and \$1.55.
23 remnants of Axminster, Wilton, and Monuette Carpets, from 1 to 19 yards,

and \$1.55.

23 remnants of Axminster, Wilton, and Moquette Carpets, from 1 to 19 yards, at £2 12c., from \$1.25 and \$1.50.

1 Ready-Made Ali-Wool Ingrain Carpet, size 5x6 1-4 yards, 49c., instead of \$5c.

pieces, was \$4.9s, for \$2.19.
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24 English-China Hotel-Saucers, ic. each; value 19c.
12 Rockingham Baking-Dishes, 2c. each, value 10c.
39 Ironstone-China Soup-Plates, for 3c.

NO MORE TROUBLE.

WAS GIVEN OPPORTUNITY.

RESOLUTION TO HEAR TESTIMONY. RESOLUTION TO HEAR TESTIMONY.
Immediately following Captain Wise's remarks, Mr. Bloomberg, observing a solution of the body's troubles, moved that the resolution with the ten recommendations be laid on the table. This was agreed to, and the Clerk then read resolution No. —, from the Committee on Investigation, which was as follows:

Be it resolved by the Common Council Mr. Bioomberg said it had never entered his mind that the committee would be charged with having refused to give Mr. Grimes a full and free hearing. Mr. Grimes had been given every opportunity to make any statements and have summoned any witnesses he desired.

Mr. Grimes here stated that when he was summoned he did not know what it was for, and therefore did not have counsel.

sel.

Mr. Bloomberg added that the whole investigation had been as "open as the noenday sun." He said that when Mr. Lawless came before the committee to disprove the charge in regard to the 4,000 bushels of shells that was the first intimation the committee had of any

intimation the committee had of any such charge.

Mr. Lawless here asked Mr. Meredith if he had not asked him if any charges of fraud were to be made against Mr. Grimes, and if he had not answered "No."

Mr. Meredith said he had not made that reply. The evidence was read on this point, and Mr. Meredith's reply was conditionally and the conditions of the same of th

up from the throng of spectators.

Mr. Bloomberg then reaumed his remarks. He said if evidence in rebuttal was to be taken, it should have been introduced at this meeting. He was opposed to any delay. He said there was no necessity for the matter to be drawn out. Mr. Grimes's counsel knew the evidence which had been taken, and ought to have come preserved to combat it. to have come prepared to combat it.

THE RESOLUTION LOST. The pending question was then called,

der, McDowell, Glover-13. Sons - Messrs. Blanks, Bloomberg, Cottrell, Epps Briggs, Brock, Carter, Cottrell, Eppe Jackson, Landerkin, Mayer, Williams

Mr. Wallerstein took the floor. He said Mr. Wallerstein took the floor. He said there was an attempt on the part of the counsel who represented Mr. Grimes to delay the matter. The facts were before the Council, and action should at once be taken. He said no evidence could be brought in rebuttal of Mr. Grimes's own testimony, and the members of the Coun-cil owed it to themselves and to the city to set at once.

to act at once.

Mr. Meredith here asked permission to Mr. Meredith here asked permission to be heard to give the Council legal advice. He said the law required that a person charged with an offence should be given a reasonable opportunity to be heard. He said it would not be reasonable to require any person called to the bar at that meeting to go into an immediate line of defence. The question resolved itself, he said, as to whether the gentleman (Mr. Grimes) was ready by profession to he said, as to whether the gentleman (Mr. Grimes) was ready by profession to go into the matter at once, and as to whether a committee be appointed to hear the evidence, or it be introduced before the Council.

Mr. Davis, the vote by

onsidered.

Mr. Grimes then stated that if the origin Mr. Grimes then stated that it the original resolution was adopted it would deprive him of one of his counsel, as Captain Wise would be engaged in the Lunenburg cases next week. An amendment was then offered, fixing the day for commencing the hearing of the evidence on Monday, the 23d. It was then ascertained would still be left. Mr. Gunst stated that he did think he could be present next Monday. Another amendment was offered, setting the day Thursday, the 19th. This was lost, however, and the amendment fixing the time for hearing the evidence in rebuttal from the 23d to the 30th was adopted.

The Council then adjourned.

Davis Monument Association. The Davis Monument Association held

Dr. Massie's Condition.

AT PORT ROYAL.

thing at the Port Royal dry-dock is in

readiness for the docking of the battleship Indiana to-morrow morning. It is, however, by no means certain that the docking will take place to-morrow. Captain Evans, the places, and those connected with the docks are not disposed to run any chances, as there is no emergency.

It is fifteen miles from Port Royal to

any chances, as there is no emergency.

It is fifteen miles from Port Royal to
the bar, and there is no means of communication, the nearest source of authority being the dry-dock station. A message to the representative of the Southern Associated Press stated that the Indiana had not been sighted. It is not
thought likely that the Indiana will cross
the bar during the night. She will probably wait until daylight, there being a
full tide in the morning at 8 o'clock. The
depth at the bar is about 27 feet, high
tide, and 30 feet, spring tide, and the
Indiana draws 25 feet. It will take
an hour or two to steam from the bar
to the dock, and, as high tide is needed
to go into the dock, it is thought the
docking will be delayed until Saturday
morning. In case the Indiana crosses the
bar to-night the docking will occur in the
morning.

Covernor Atkinson of Georgia, and

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The Atmosphere at P. ankfort, Kentucky. Clarified Considerably.

IMPORTANT It Removes Menace from the Deme

crats, Who Are Jubilant, and Expect Now to Elect Before the Sen-FRANKFORT, KY., March 12 .- In the Senate this morning Mr. Jones (Republi-

can) offered an amendment to the pal, which made it appear that the Senate had adjourned before the report de claring seats vacant was considered. The Lieutenant-Governor said he had intended finally to put the motion for expuision. The Senate voted down the amendment and approved the journal as it stood. The Mayor ordered the police to clear

the lobby of all but members and officers before noon. The crowd resented this, but ex-members and State officials had to go, as well as the rabble. The Chief of Police of Lexington and three of his men assisted the Frankfort officers, Jack Chinn, Jim Williams, and Walter Sharp were allowed to stay as special assistants to the Senate doorkeeper, as were many other friends of Blackburn, who wore

police badges on their conts. James and Walton were still in the House when the Senate was announ-House when the Senate was announced at the door ready for the joint session. Sheriff Armstrong and several strange deputies were on the floor. When the roll was called none of the Republicans an-swered to their names until Deboe was called, when he responded. Jones, Lay, and Landes followed, and all the Repub-licans began answering to their names. Neither clerk called the names of the Neither clerk called the names of the unseated members. No one attempted to interfere with Messrs, James and Walton, who still had seats on the floor. Senstor Bronston (Democrat) asked for the reading of yesterday's journal of each

house. Mr. Burnett (Republican) objected to the reading of any but the joint session journal. The Chair decided that the journal of the joint proceedings should be read. Mr. Bronston said ne had seen stationed

in the corridor police officers declaring for peace. He asked that every one be excluded from the floor except actual members and officers and bona fide news-paper correspondents. He made an eloquent plea for peace.

The Chair ruled so as to allow ex-members and State officials on the floor, but he put Bronston's request in the shape of a motion. The Republicans refused to vote, and broke the quorum.

THE POLICEMEN. Governor Bradley and Mayor Julian had a conference this morning about preserving the peace in case of trouble today, and at 10 o'clock six big policemen were stationed in the lobby between the House and Senate chambers. The Mayor also had a conference with the presiding also had a conference with the presiding officers of the Senate and House. The Mayor wanted the House cleared of all members and officers when the

time for the joint session arrived. By 11 o'clock the House was jammed, women ferming a large part of the crowd. Senator A. D. James said he did not regard himself as expelled from the Sen-ate, claiming that the body was adjourned before his expulsion was voted on

Shortly after II o'clock Dr. James and Dr. Waiton, the two expelled senators, entered the House. Chief-of-Police Tobin informed Mayor Julian of this. The Mayor went in and whispered something to Speaker Blanford, and then had a consultation with the Democratic leaders. Colonel Jack Chinn, Jim Williams, and others, who participated in yesterday's thrilling scene in the lobby, arrived early,

and mixed with the police.
Wood Dunlap, of Lexington, who was
declared entitled to Kaufman's seat, had
not arrived from Lexington up to 11:30. not arrived from Lexington up to 11,30, and the Republicans were very much oppressed. It was said that the Lieutenant-Governor had determined to rule that sixty-nine was a quorum if Dunlap were sworn in, and the two expelled senators got into the joint session, and made themselves heard.

The Republicans refused to vote, and broke the quorum. The Chair decided that no quorum had voted, and that the motion was lost. While all this was going on the rotunda continued virtually empty, but an immence crowd thronged.

empty, but an immence crowd thronged the lower floor of the building.

IMPORTANT RULIN

Mr. Carroll forced from the Chair the most important ruling of the seasion. He declared that he would rule on all questions that seventy members must be present, "and voting." This removed the menace to the Democrats from the pres-ence of James and Walton, even if Dun-

Inp were also present.

The Chair demanded the roll-call for the The Chair demanded the roll-call for the vote for senator, while Mr. Bronston demanded that the Sergeant-at-Arms remove all who were not entitled to seats. This Assistant-Sergeant Sommers started to do, but as it interfered with the roll-call, which had been started, he sat down. The Republicans did not vote, and the Democrate divided between Carlies and

Democrats divided between Carlisle and Blackburn in the usual proportion. The session then adjourned. It is agreed on all sides that the Chair's ruling that seventy must be present and voting relieves the situation. Nobody will now object to the presence of the unseated members, and no more trouble

unseated members, and no more trouble is looked for.

The ballot stood: Blackburn, 51; Carlisle, 12; Buckner, 1. The Democrats are jubilant over the Chair's ruling mentioned above. They think they will get the seventy votes necessary to elect before the Legislature adjourns Tuesday.

The plans of the Republicans are in the hands of Mr. St. John Boyle, their candidate, Attorney-General Taylor, and Senator Bennett, and none of the other mem-

hands of Mr. St. John Hoyle, their candidate, Attorney-General Taylor, and Senator Bennett, and none of the other members know what is to be the programme each day until the joint assembly has convened. The cue is given when Senator Bernett, whose name heads the roll, votes or remains silent when his name is called, the others following suit. By this means the secrets of the campaign are kept until the time for action.

Late to-night it was learned authoritatively that plans are in effect for seating Dunlap in the House to-morrow. The matter is being kept secret. Dunlap's presence in the joint assembly will be the occasion of a Democratic storm. If he votes so will Senators James and Walton, and in that event the Democrats will attempt to vote Kaufman, the unseated member, also.

CLAIRVOYANT. TO WEALTHY, INTELLECTUAL, Sick, Business, and Financial Persons: Madame SEE, Noted Clairvoyant, Business, and Trance Medium, is in the city, and will give sittings daffy at Olive House, 108 north Seventh street. DISEASES DIAGNOSED. mh 7-1w*

AMUSEMENTS. FRENCH TEA IN MANCHESTER. Entertainment at the Baptist Parson-age, Eleventh and Porter streets. TO-NIGHT, with an interesting programme by Richmond ladies, All friends of the church invited.

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vestigation, which was as follows:

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the city of Richmond, That your committee feel constrained in the light of the evidence before them to recommend that Mr. Grimes be called to the bar of the Common Council, of which branch he is now a member; that he be asked whether he desires to offer any evidence to disprove that submitted by your committee, and that the Common Council, after hearing such evidence as Mr. Grimes may offer, shall, if Mr. Grimes fail to disprove the above charges, and the evidence herewith submitted in support of them expel him by vote from among its members. nembers.
This resolution was adopted without a

Mr. Diacont asked if it was in order here to offer a resolution providing a special committee to hear Mr. Grimes's chair at that time, announced that he would decide that such a step could not be taken until after Mr. Grimes had an-nounced whether or not he would like to

The pending question was then called, which was upon the resolution of Mr. Glover, Mr. Grimes asking to be excused from voting. The resolution was lost by the following recorded vote: Ayes-Messrs. Caskle, Davis, Diacont. Donleavy, Ferriter, Gunst, Hobson, Lawder, McDowell, Seay, Trower, and Glaver-13

Wallerstein, and Woody-13. SHOULD ACT PROMPTLY.

Upon motion of Mr. Davis, the vote by which Mr. Glover's resolution was lost

marks Mr. Diacont offered the following Resolved, That a committee of seven members of the Committee or seven appointed by the president to hear testimony in the matter of the recommendation of the joint committee of this body and the Board of Aldermen for persons and papers.

This matter provoked the most excited discussion, Mr. Wallerstein becited discussion, Mr. Waterstein beginning the argument against the adoption of the resolution. He said that, according to his construction of the previous resolution, Mr. Grimes would have to disprove the charges before the Common Council, and not before a committee thereof.

There is no change in the condition of Dr. Massie, who is so ill at the Old Do-minion Hospital with blood poisoning. At 2 o'clock this morning he was resting very well.

length, saying that there appeared to be a disposition on the part of some members of the Council and the attor-neys of Mr. Grimes to attack the Committee on Investigation. Mr. Gunst said that the committee had spent a great deal of time and labor in inves-tigating the matters pertaining to the gas-house inquiry. He felt confident that that ad worked faithfully and without prejudice to any one.

Mr. Donleavy asked a number of questions relative to the inquiry proper. "I would like," he said, "to ask the chairman of the Committee on Investigation if it did not hold its sessions in secret?"

"They were not, sir; those meetings were open to everybody," replied Mr. "Was not that report adopted while the committee was holding its sessions be-hind closed doors?' inquired the Mar-shall-Ward member. Mr. Gunst then explained that the

committee did make up its report while in secret session, but argued that Mr. Grimes had been given ample opportunity to be heard. He had been summoned to appear before the committee at every meeting at which any matter in-

every meeting at which any matter involving his name was to arise. This was borne out by a statement of the City Attorney.

Mr. Diacont asked Mr. Gunst if he could show by the record before the Council where a single witness for Mr. Grimes had been heard. No witness for the Marshall-Ward member had been heares. The Committee on Investigation. before the Committee on Investigation, although he had at all times been at liberty to interrogate all witnesses who appeared before that body.

The chairman of the Investigating Com-

appeared before that body.

The chairman of the Investigating Committee was further interrogated by the Marshall-Ward councilman, who wanted to know if the members of that committee were not bound to secrecy as to the nature of the report. Mr. Gunst replied that he supposed they regarded themselves so, inasmuch as the report was adopted in secret session. Mr. Donleavy then asked why Auditor Warren knew the character of the report ten days before it was submitted to the Council. Chairman Gunst stated that he could not answer that question, as he had not divulged anything concerning the paper to any one. Mr. Warren here dealed that any one had given him any information concerning the report, or that he had teld any one that such a thing had been done.

THE COUNCIL AS THE COURT.

The Stonewall Club, No. 25, Lyceum League of America, will entertain the members of the Epworth League of Centenary Methodist church with a very unique literary programme this evening at Centenary church. The following are the participants in the programme: Messrs. W. E. Crawford, Ed. Hill Courtney, Rey Lewis, B. M. Sheppard, F. W. Laughton, and F. T. Sutton, Jr. Both societies are looking forward to the event with great pleasure. THE COUNCIL AS THE COURT.

At this juncture Mr. Glover offered the following:

Be it resolved by the Common Council, That it do now adjourn to meet on Monday night, March 16th, at 8 o'clock, to hear such evidence and argument as Mr. John R. Grimes may present, and that it will meet each night thereafter as long as necessary for this purpose until Monday night, March 23d, at 8 o'clock, and that at 8 o'clock P. M. of the same eve-NEW YORK, March 12.—(Special.)—R. P. Henry, Metropole; A. C. Becker, As-

THE ROLLORD DISPANCE ERIDAY, MAROLES, 1898.

committee should be appointed to hear the evidence in rebuttal.

Mr. Diacont then took the floor. He said he was not afraid to go back to Marshall Ward if the resolution was laid upon the table in order to give Mr. Grimes an opportunity to vindicate himself. He said if Mr. Grimes could clear himself he for one wanted him to have a chance to do it. If the evidence already taken was good why did the committee wish to refuse to allow Mr. Grimes to bring in his side? He said if Mr. Grimes had been tried in a court he would have been given this privilege. He was is favor of the minority report.

WAS GIVEN OPPORTUNITY.

what they expected to prove by their evidence in rebuttal. Were they going to disprove Mr. Grimes's own admissions? The report had been based upon Mr. Grimes's own evidence, declared Mr. Grimes's own evidence, declared Mr. Meredith, while a ripple of applause went up from the throng of spectators.

Mr. Bloombers, then

tee with witnesses.

Mr. Grimes said if it had not been for his watchfulness the committee would have had him charged with 4,600 bushels of

THE DATE FIXED.

mony in the matter of the recommendation of the joint committee of this body and the Board of Aldermen concerning Mr. John R. Grimes, a member of the Common Council, and that said committee be empowered to send for persons and papers.

This matter provoked the most excited discussion, Mr. Wallerstein between the process of them to appear, as a majority would still be left. Mr. Gunst stated that

a meeting yesterday afternoon, and dis-posed of a good deal of routine business. General Bradley T, Johnson was elect-ed to fill a vacancy on the Committee on Design of the Monument.

Everything Ready for the Docking of the Indiana. BEAUFORT, S. C., March 12.-Every-

bar to-night the docking will occur in the morning.
Governor Atkinson, of Georgia, and Governor Evans, of South Carolina, with the members of his military staff, arrived here this afternoon to witness the docking. Congressman Elliott got leave of absence to be present at the severest of the dock, for which he is largely responsible. The Beaufort Artillery saluted the Governors upon their arrival in the city. Six excursion trains are expected here to-morrow, and should the Indiana not go into the dock, the visitors will be taken to the battleship in steamers. A reception will be tendered the visitors to-morrow evening by the citizens of Beaufort.

Stop Thief!